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Date: 24 Oct 1994 08:41:39 GMT  
From: peter.henne@gmd.de (Peter Henne)  
Subject: APT-Satellites: Report OCT 23, 1994

Observed at station 50.7 NLat, 7.1 ELon, OCT 23, 1994

NOAA-9:            APT 137.62 On  
NOAA-10:           APT 137.50 On  
NOAA-11:           APT 137.62 Burst On, no AVHRR  
NOAA-12:           APT 137.50 On  
Meteor 3-5:        APT 137.85 On  
Okean 7-1         APT 137.40 Sometimes On

NOAA-11 imaging is dead. Okean 1-7 started APT during  
rev. #176 over the Black Sea at 13h 11min 10sec UT ascending.  
I copied a very dark vis-image 240 lpm from a max elevation  
of 12 deg, this showed the spacecraft clock was working at  
973 mins after midnight moscow-time = 16h13mins Moscow-time  
= 13.13 UT. During next rev #177 APT was OFF.  
I wonder if the satellite is ever active over the US,

please mail your observations.

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Date: Mon, 24 Oct 1994 13:33:56 EDT  
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Subject: ARLS033 STS66 prelaunch Keps

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Space Bulletin 033 ARLS033  
From ARRL Headquarters  
Newington, CT October 24, 1994  
To all radio amateurs

SB SPACE ARL ARLS033  
ARLS033 STS66 prelaunch Keps

STS-66  
1 00066U 94307.76579162 .00051270 00000-0 16849-3 0 29  
2 00066 56.9997 196.6306 0011659 276.4103 83.5649 15.89544561 20

Satellite: STS-66  
Catalog number: 00066  
Epoch time: 94307.76579162 = (03 NOV 94 18:22:44.40 UTC)  
Element set: 002  
Inclination: 56.9997 deg  
RA of node: 196.6306 deg Space Shuttle Flight STS-66  
Eccentricity: .0011659 Prelaunch element set JSC-002  
Arg of perigee: 276.4103 deg Launch: 03 NOV 94 16:56 UTC  
Mean anomaly: 83.5649 deg  
Mean motion: 15.89544561 rev/day Gil Carman  
Decay rate: 5.1270e-04 rev/day sq NASA Johnson Space Center  
Epoch rev: 2  
Checksum: 321

The deorbit burn will be on orbit 172 at MET 10/18:47 (Nov 14 at 11:43 UTC).

Gil Carman, WA5NOM  
NASA Johnson Space Center  
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Date: 24 Oct 1994 18:12 EDT  
From: achall@lmsmgr.lerc.nasa.gov (Steve Hall (COMSAT))  
Subject: Need QSL info for DP3MIR

Hello:

Does anyone have the QSL info for DP3MIR? Finally heard him this morning and actually got a voice contact :) :)

Thanks and 73

Steve - KK4PM

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